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Patty and John,

In case you did not see this. On Feb. 1 PLP revised their estimate of the size of the ore body at Pebble. The new estimate is 5.94 billion tons measured and indicated and 4.84 billion tons indicated. The total is now 10.78 tons. As you can see in the memo this increases the mineral content by double digits.

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